

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NO. 199 IAC 33.5
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ORDER ACCEPTING MANUAL

(Issued November 28, 2001)

On August 30, 2001, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) its updated cost allocation manual for the year ending December 31, 2000. The filing was made pursuant to 199 IAC 33.5. No objections to the updated manual were filed.

The updated manual is in the same format as the prior manual for the year ending December 31, 1999. The manual addresses the information required by 199 IAC 33.5(1)"a" through "j." All of MidAmerican's nonutility activities in Iowa are listed, along with a description and location of those activities. All corporate and administrative functions incidental to the provision of nonutility service are also listed together with an identification of the assets and expenses involved in the provision of nonutility service.

The manual further describes the cost assignment methodology and assignment rationale implemented by MidAmerican. The 2000 manual revisions reflect, among other things, that MidAmerican has modified its account assignment rationale by shortening the list of accounts.

The 2000 manual only makes slight revisions to the prior manual. The Board finds the manual to be generally acceptable under the Board's rules and will not schedule an oral presentation pursuant to 199 IAC 33.5(2)"d."

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The cost allocation manual filed by MidAmerican Energy Company on August 30, 2001, is accepted.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 28th day of November, 2001.